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SYDNEY	4,252	Aubert	22nd Nov. 1898.

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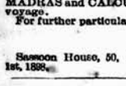

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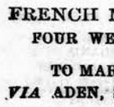

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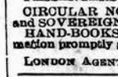

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 1st to 5th September, 1898 (both days inclusive).

By Order of the Directors,
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Alice Buildings, Bombay, 25th July, 1898.

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

NOTICES of Motion to the following effect will be placed before the Meeting of the Corporation, called for MONDAY, the 5th September, 1898 :—

1. From Kaikhosro N. Kabraji, Esq. "That the Corporation do vote a special address of welcome to the Right Hon'ble George N. Curzon, the Viceroy designate, on his first arrival in Bombay to assume the reins of the Government of India."—"That a Committee of Councillors be appointed to draft the address."—"That on the recommendation of the Standing Committee, the Corporation will be pleased to sanction the outlay for a silver casket to contain the address."

2. From Nanabhai M. Katrak, Esq. "In view of the embarrassed condition of the Municipal finances and with a view to enable the Corporation to meet the increased and increasing demand made and likely to be made on the Municipal fund by the late, plague and other charges, a Committee to be named at the meeting, be appointed to report in what direction the power of the Corporation to levy taxation ought to be increased."

3. From Dinsha Bamanji Pestonji Master, Esq. "Will the Municipal Commissioner kindly inform the Corporation how many medical men are now engaged in the Health Department on plague duty, what are their respective duties, and what their emoluments? What particular duties are assigned to the Divisional Health Officers, the Health Officers, and the Inspectors respectively? Are the latter subordinate to the Deputy Health Officers?"

4. Dr. Khanderao Ramchandra Wadya, Esq. "That the Commissioner be requested to inform the Corporation what means are adopted to remove sullage water from cesspools attached to water-closets, privies, bath rooms, kitchens, etc., in the different wards of the City."

M. N. WADIA,
Acting Municipal Secretary.
Bombay, Municipal Office, 2nd Sept., 1898.

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1.—To receive the Accounts made up to the 30th June, and the Directors' Report.
2.—To declare a Dividend.
3.—To elect Directors.
4.—To elect Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from this date until the 3rd September inclusive.

By Order of the Directors,
JOHN BRISTED,
General Manager.
Bombay, 20th August, 1898.

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NOTICES.

BOMBAY PRESIDENCY ASSOCIATION.

PUBLIC MEETING.

A PUBLIC MEETING will be held at the NOVELTY THEATRE, on SATURDAY, the 3rd September next, at 6-15 P. M., to welcome and to receive AN ADDRESS from the Hon'ble Mr. A. M. BOSE of Calcutta, who returns from London by the next English Mail.

DINSHA EDULJI WACHA,
N. G. CHANDAVARKAR,
AMIRUDIN TYEBJI,
Honorary Secretaries.
31st August, 1898.

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By Order of the Municipal Commissioner,
T. S. WEIR,
Executive Health Officer.
Public Health Department, Bombay, 31st Aug., 1898.

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3rd—To elect Auditors for the ensuing year and fix their remuneration.
4th—To settle the question of increasing spindles.
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A. JOHN & Co.,
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Agra, 22nd August, 1898.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Ordnance Officer, Bombay, up to 29th September 1898, for the PURCHASE of UNSERVICEABLE SHOT and SHELL at present in stock in Bombay Arsenal.

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3. The Tenders will only be received on these printed forms, which are procurable on application at this office at the rate of annas four per set.

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5. Tenders will be opened at this office at 12 o'clock noon on 30th September 1898. Parties tendering are invited to attend.

6. All further particulars can be obtained from the undersigned.

J. A. WINTER, Captain, R.A.,
Ordnance Officer in charge.
Bombay Arsenal, 27th August, 1898.

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PRINCE'S DOCK.—The steamer Chilka entered on Wednesday and the steamers Setos and Barque Grosvenor, left the dock yesterday.

VICTORIA DOCK.—The steamer Clyde entered the dock yesterday.

BOMBAY NATIVE DISPENSARY.—Statement for August 1898 :—Daily average attendance 137 ; admissions 1,570 ; prevailing diseases Dual.

LECTURE AT AHMEDABAD.—Mr. P. N. Divatia writes to inform us that Mr. R. D. Talati presided on Saturday's Lecture to the Ahmadabad Social and Literary Association and not Dr. Taylor, as stated.

THE SULEMANJEE CHARITABLE DISPENSARY FOR BOHRAS.—During the last month the total attendance of patients was 3,095, of which 1,156 males 1,095 females, and 871 children. The daily average attendance was 99.

THE MARINE COURT OF ENQUIRY.—Messrs. Shepherd and Co. write to point out that the statement made in our account of the Marine Court of Enquiry, on the ground of the s. s. Cashmere, to-day's date, that they are the owners of the vessel.

THE ANJUMAN-E-ISLMI-E-FAZAL.—A meeting will be held to-night at 8-30, in the Hall of the Framjee Cowasjee Institute, when Shams-ul-Ulema Jivanji Jamshedji Mody, B.A., will give a reading in Persian (with Gujerati version) from the Episode of Rustam and Sohrab from the Shah-Nameh of Firdousi.

THEFT AT MALABAR HILL.—Mr. Goverdhandas Gokuldas Tejpal, residing in his bungalow at Narayen Daboolker Road, Malabar Hill, has reported to the Police, the theft of a gold cup and saucer of the value of Rs. 325, from a cupboard with a glass door. The articles were last seen safe about two years ago and complainant is unable to state, when the property was stolen.

THE MARATHA PROVIDENT FUND.—The annual prize distribution to those boys who were recommended by the members of the mutual-help branch of the Maratha Provident Fund, and who were examined by a committee of examiners appointed under the auspices of M. P. Fund, is to be held at "Madhavbag" to-morrow at 4 p.m., Shet Lakhmidas Khimji, J. P. will preside.

A SUCCESSFUL BAR STUDENT.—Mr. Dayabbal Pitamberdas Derasari, who had proceeded to England, two years back, having come out successfully at the final examination of Bar, has also completed his special studies in Mining with success. He is to be congratulated that he is the first youth of the Visnagara Nagar Community, who has been able to reach such a position, and we trust that his example will stimulate others in his caste. Mr. Dayabbal, was the late Head Master of the Rajkote Training College.

MUSIC ON THE ESPLANADE.—The Band of the B. B. and C. I. Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps will perform a programme of music at the Esplanade, under the direction of Mr. H. C. Dane commencing at 5-30 p.m. to-day :—

Overture ..... Le Dieu et la Bayadiere....Auber
Concerto ..... Petit Barre.....Kling
Gavotte ..... Louis XIII .....Ghys
Valse de Concert ..... Il Poeta.....Wright
Grand Selection from.....Orfeo .....Gluck
Marche Militaire ..... Gounod

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

STRUCK BY A BULLET FROM AN AIR GUN.—Soonabai, a Parsee girl, aged eleven years, residing with her father Kalkhoshro Dorabji on the second floor of a three storied house in Khoja Gully, two days ago, standing near a window in her room, when she was struck on her head with a small slug or bullet, sustaining a slight wound there on. The wound was dressed and the girl brought to the notice of the master, the father imagining that some one had probably thrown stone at her. On the 31st ultimo a small tumour appeared and a doctor was summoned to lance it and the latter complied. It is a bullet evidently fired from an air gun. The wound is not serious. Police enquiries are in progress.

FATAL ACCIDENT ON BOARD A VESSEL.—On Thursday morning, about 5 o'clock one Hyder Buder, a lascar, aged thirty years, employed on board the steam ship Sirdhana, accidentally fell down the forehatch of the vessel on to some oil barrels, a distance of about thirty feet, sustaining a fracture of the skull. He was removed in an unconscious state to the Cooperage Tejpal Hospital, where he died in the evening. It appears that on the night of the 1st carpaulin had been put on the hatchway supported by planks and the deceased in attempting to cross it, fell through. Mr. Turner the Coroner, held an inquiry yesterday morning at the Cooperage Tejpal Hospatal on view of the body of the deceased, when the jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

BHOWNAGAR NEWS.—The climate at Bhownagar is at present not healthy. Remittant fever prevails. Yesterday the attendance of patients was 481 in the Sayajirao Dispensary. The germination of crops (food grains) is no better than at first. Even if it rains here after. The matter will not be amended. It might prove beneficent to cotton crops, but, that expectation, also seems to be remote, owing to there being no sign of rain. At several points the bajree and jowari crops have already entirely perished.—H. H. the Thakore Saheb of Wadhwan returned to his capital by Saturday's mail. He had been the guest of H. H. the Thakore Saheb of Bhownagar and Vala for 8 and 5 days respectively.—Prince Ajeetsingjee, The heir apparent of Drangadra arrived at Wadhwan with his followers, and is putting up at the dak bungalow.

FOUND DROWNED.—About half past 6 o'clock yesterday morning a Municipal labourer in charge of the Nacoda Tank, behind the Goculdas Tejpal Hospital, noticed the dead body of a Hindu man, image unknown, floating on the surface of the water in the tank, face downward. The labourer proceeded to the Esplanade Chowkey and reported the occurrence to the Police. Inspector Monacgee went to the tank and had the body removed. It appeared to be that of a Hindu of the labouring class, apparently aged about fifty years. There were no marks of violence on the body which was much decomposed. A barbakeer was then beaten throughout the town, but no one came forward to identify the deceased. Mr. Allan F. Turner, the Coroner, held an inquiry on view of the body, when the jury brought in an open verdict.

DEATH OF A WELL-KNOWN MERCHANT.—One of the well-known Merchants of our City Mr. Tribhowandas Jugjivandas died yesterday at the ripe age of 83 years. He was suffering from general debility, brought on by old age for the last two months or so. He was of a social and genial temperament, and belonged to the orthodox class. He on several occasions bid for, and was declared the highest purchaser of opium chests, sold by auction by the Government at Patna. He had amassed a large fortune in opium business, and was the owner of the Lakhmidas Khimji Building in the Girgaum. The community has lost one of its most useful though unassuming leaders. He leaves behind him a large family and a host of friends to mourn his loss. The cloth-market was closed as a token of respect to the memory of the deceased, who was generally respected. His death is a distinct loss to the Gujarati community.

A DISHONEST BILL COLLECTOR.—At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, before Mr. P. H. Dastur, Acting Second Presidency Magistrate, Inspector Sloane, charged Lalji Visram, a Bania bill-collector, with embezzling Rs. 450 belonging to his master, Bapulal Vastaram. Mr. Hugh Soaly, pleader, prosecuted ; while the accused was defended by Mr. Velinkar, pleader. Mr. Oliviera, pleader, watched the proceedings of one Bhica Hira, who had accompanied the accused to places of certain parties from whom the bills were collected. It appeared from the inquiries made by the police, that the accused used to appropriate the collections of outstandings to his own use, and of recouping the same from subsequent collections. It was ascertained by the police, that between the 15th and the 23rd August, the accused had misappropriated the proceeds of seven bills, which amounted to nearly Rs. 450. The accused pleaded guilty to the charge, and was sentenced to four months rigorous imprisonment.

AN EARLY MORNING VISITOR.—Before Mr. E. Wilkin, Acting Third Presidency Magistrate, at the Mazagon Police Court, yesterday, Mahomed Khoodabux, a Hindu convict, to Mahomedan faith, was charged with criminal trespass, in that he unlawfully entered the premises of Mr. Henry J. Cutler, an assistant in the Bombay Tract and Book Society, with intent to commit an offence. The complainant resides at Grant Road. On Thursday morning about 3 o'clock, while complainant was attending his mother, who has been lying ill in the house, he noticed the accused climbing up the window of the room. Complainant called out to the accused and asked him what he wanted, but the man immediately leaped off the window and commenced biting. Complainants chaukidar, hearing him, ran at a short distance, and made him, over to the police. The accused pleaded that he was under the influence of bhang, and did not know what happened. He was sentenced to three months' rigorous imprisonment.

THE LATE MR. KAVASHAW DHANJISHAW FOUJDAR.—The case of the late Chief Constable of Bandora, presents some peculiarities as regards the circumstances attending his death as the hands of some Mahomedan fanatics on the night of the last day of the Mohrum. This is the second case in which a Parsi Police Officer met with his death while in the execution of his duties, the first being that of the late Mr. Dhanjisha Kotwal of Surat, who was killed in 1878 Bodhan near Mandvi in the Surat District. brave young Kavashaw who sacrificed his while nobly doing his duty, was appointed first Head Constable in the Thana Police in June 18 the following September, he successfully examination in Marathi and in the laws ations relating to police duties in all its bra in ball practice, and obtained a Marksman at the annual competition shooting in Octo

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TELEGRAMS.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

THE ADVANCE ON KHARTOUM.

IN TOUCH WITH THE ENEMY.

LONDON, SEPT. 1.

The absence of news from the Soudan was due to the storm on the Nile which caused an interruption to the wire beyond Nasri.

Latest despatches from the front, dated Tuesday report the Sirdar's force to be now in touch with the enemy.

The gunboats have reconnoitred and located the Dervish position at Kerreri close to Omdurman.

The advance guard of 21st Lancers, 200 strong, touched this outpost, when the enemy assumed a bellicose attitude, beat their drums and waved their banners. The gunboats subsequently shelled the position.

FRENCH STAFF APPOINTMENT.

General Renouard has replaced General Bois Deffre as chief of the Staff in Paris.

THE WEST AFRICAN CONVENTION.

The evacuation by France of the Borgu territory, in conformity with the terms of the Anglo-French Convention defining the spheres of influence in West Africa has been completed.

THE DREYFUS SCANDAL.

FRANCE DISTRACTED.

LONDON, SEPT 2.

The confession of forgery by Colonel Henry and his subsequent suicide coupled with the distrust and resentment evoked, by the Tsars manifesto, is distracting France to an almost dangerous degree.

Even the military organs admit the necessity of reopening the Dreyfus case, which is likely to involve the loosing of violent political passions.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, SEPT. 2.

The London correspondent of the *Pioneer* wires :—There is increasing suspicion of collusion between Colonel Henry and Major Esterhazy. The latter has been reduced to half pay. Revelations are expected to prove him the author of the famous *bordereau*. M. Cavaignac's orders arresting Colonel Henry and the announcement of his confession falsify his own speech in the Chamber on July 7th. M. Maline, General Billot and others reviled him at the re-opening of the case, but he is generally an object of sympathy, his courage and sincerity being recognised. It is noticeable, however, that the theory put forward in the August "National Review" has been confirmed.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

ST. LEGER BETTING.

LONDON, SEPT. 2.

The betting on the St. Seger late this afternoon was as follows :—

½ to 1 Against Jeddah.
110 to 12 Against Diedonne.
10 to 1 Against Wildfowler.
10 to 1 Against Ninus.
100 to 6 Against Disraeli.
20 to 1 Against Batt.
20 to 1 Against Dunlop.
25 to 1 Against Pheon.
25 to 1 Against Wantage.
33 to 1 Against Purser.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, SEPT. 2.

The London correspondent of the "Pioneer" wires :—The following is the latest betting on the St. Leger, following publication of weights :—13 to 8 on Jeddah : 8 to 1 against Ninus and Dieudonne ; 12 to 1 against Wild Fowler ; 16 to 1 against Disraeli ; 20 to 1 against the others.

IMPERIAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

THE INSOLVENCY AND ARBITRATION BILLS.

SIMLA, SEPT. 2.

In introducing the Insolvency Bill which was passed at to-day's meeting of the Council the Hon'ble Mr. Chalmers explained the addition of allowances to costs and charges enumerated in clause 2 as having been recommended by the Madras and Bombay High Courts, while the provision of a retiring allowance to Mr. Turner, merely carries out the promise made when the Official Assigneeship in Bombay, was made a whole time appointment.

Regarding the Arbitration Bill, which was introduced Mr. Chalmers explains that it adopts the Home Arbitration Act of 1889 to India, in place of the Home Act of 1854 which hitherto was in force here, this being in accordance with the desire of a number of commercial bodies in this country. A separate bill was introduced as the Act of 1889 makes no provision for arbitration outside suits where the intervention of courts would only take place in connection with the enforcement of awards. The main changes introduced by the measure are the extension of the application of the Arbitration Law to cover the reference of future as well as of present disputes to Arbitration ; secondly the removal of necessity to name Arbitrators in cases where the method of their appointment is sufficiently indicated and thirdly the laying down of a schedule of rules to hold in conducting Arbitration unless the arties concerned have seen fit to modify them by agreement.

The Burma Code Bill was also be introduced, Mr. Chalmers explaining that its principal feature is to make Acts of the Supreme Council apply to Upper Burma as well as the rest of India without a special announcement to this effect which was hitherto necessary.

ALLEGED PRESS IRREGULARITIES IN RANGOON.

Mr. Ross, Superintendent of Government printing in India, is deputed to Burma, Mr. C. Sanderson officiating.

It is understood Mr. Ross's Deputation to Burma is to investigate the alleged irregularities in the Rangoon Government Press.

THE COMING CAVALRY CAMP.

The forthcoming Cavalry camp bids fair to be themost instructive ever held. Its features will be the launching against each other of two forces of six regiments each 110 miles apart, between Aligarh and Karnal to meet somewhere half way, the final manœuvres taking place in the neighbourhood of Delhi.

CROPS BEING DAMAGED BY RAIN.

This week's crop telegrams show curious state of affairs, for whereas too much rain has fallen over wide area in Central Provinces and Central India, the former reporting that it is break is badly needed, while the latter record slight damage from excessive rain in Bundelkhand and Baghelkhand ; on the other hand the Punjab continues to suffer from drought, while a grass amine is feared in Marwar and other western States of Rajputana, and report adds that unirrigated crops in Ajin to have withered and been lost and the same has occurred more or less in the native States of the Rajputana agency.

GAZETTE OF INDIA NOTIFICATIONS.

Home Department.—Mr. L. E. Buckley is to officiate as Commissioner of Coorg, vice Mr. Meiklejohn on privilage leave. Messrs. R. D. Hare, A. Lucas, C. E. Biddulph, R. P. Colomb, W. Haig and F. L. Crawford are to be Justices of the Peace for the Hyderabad Assigned districts.

The issue of railway tickets to intending pilgrims to Brahmotsavam festival near Tirupati is prouibited.

Finance Department.—Mr. J. C. Branson to officiate as Accountant-General, Bombay.

Mr. Wait, Postmaster-General, Sind, one month's leave, Mr. I. G. Hamilton, officiating.

Military Department.—Good Service pension is conferred on Brigadier General George Simpson, vice MacLeod succeeded to Colonels allowance.

Major R. E. D. Reilly is promoted to Lieutenant Colonel.

Mr. E. A. Phillips to be Second Lieutenant Indian Army reserve of officers.

Foreign Department.—Captain Younghusband, is posted as Political Agent, Haraoti and Tonk.

Lieutenants Lennox, 13th Bombay Infantry, Channey, 24th Bombay Infantry, and Steele, 30th Bombay Infantry, are admitted to the Staff Corps.

Color Havildars Rewti and Jatiram Singh to be Jamadars, 22nd Bombay Infantry, vice Dhana Singh and Babu Gopal, pensioned.

Havildar Isaac Israel, 14th Bombay Infy, is granted Meritorious Service medal with gratuity.

Lieut Gabbett resigns his commission in Bombay, Baroda Railway Volunteers.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

LIVERPOOL, SEPT. 1.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Sinclair arrived here from Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, this morning.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Campbell arrived here from Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, this morning.

LIVERPOOL, SEPT. 1.

The City Line steamer City of Venice left here for Bombay this afternoon.

Steamer Borneda from Bombay arrived at Hong Kong on 2nd inst.

COLOMBO, SEPT. 2.

The P. and O. Co.'s s.s. Australia left here for Aden, at 10.h a.m., to-day.

The same Co.'s s.s. Khedive left here at 8 a.m., today, and is expected to arrive in Bombay at 9 a.m. on Monday next.

ALPINE CASUALTY.

DEATH OF DR. HOPKINSON.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, SEPT. 2.

The London correspondent of the *Pioneer* wires :—Dr. John Hopkinson, Lecturer at King's College, an experienced and well-known Alpinist, together with his younger son and two daughters, slipped on Saturday over a precipice on Petit Dent-du-Veisive. The bodies were discovered roped together, terribly disfigured, some 700 feet below. Mr. Edison, in a letter of condolence, pronounces the doctor "one of the greatest sons of science."

BOMBAY COMMAND ORDERS.

POONA, SEPT. 2.

Captain Newland, Royal Army Medical Corps, is transferred from Nagpore district to Aden district.

Command order No. 434 of 19th August last, relating to transfer, of Captain Lewis Royal Army Medical Corps is hereby cancelled.

Lieutenant-Colonel Mortimer, 1st Battalion Royal Fusiliers will be placed on half pay on 3rd September 1898 on completing his period of service in Command and he is permitted to proceed to England on or after that date travelling at public expense.

The undermentioned are reported to have passed required examinations in the following languages; Urdu higher standard—2nd Lieutenant Bighe R. A., Captain Mallaby R. E., Lieutenant Robinson, 17th Bombay Infantry, 2nd Lieutenant Ashburner, 24th Bombay Infantry.

Urdu lower standard :—Lieutenant Bocleau R. E.

Persian lower standard :—Lieutenant Hoskyn, attached 3rd Bombay Light Cavalry, Arabic interpreters test, Lieutenant Grant R. E., Marathi test laid down in clause 180 India Army circulars of 1897; Captain Carnegy 21st Bombay Infantry.

Inspecting Veterinary Officer Bombay Command will proceed to Mhow on 8th September 1898 to carry out the annual veterinary Inspection and casting of horses of I Battery Royal Horse Artillery on 10th September 1898.

The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Secretary of State for India to return to duty, Major General Nicolson C. B. Commanding Mhow District,

The undermentioned officers and warrant officer have leave of absence extensions.—Royal Artillery, Major Lyster 53rd F. B. from 26th July to 25th September 1898, medical certificate granted by War Office. In extension of leave granted in Bombay Command Order no 427 of 1897.

1st Bombay Grenadiers.—Lieut. Ross, a months medical certificate granted by Secretary of State for India.

22nd Bombay Infantry.—Lieutenant Libertouche, 4 months medical certificate granted by the Secretary of State for India.

Ordnance Department.—Conductor Halpin till 20th February 1899 on medical certificate granted by Secretary of State for India.

THE PRESIDENTIAL ASSAULT-AT-ARMS.

The Presidential Assault-at-Arms is now coming to a close. This morning the preliminary runs in heads and posts, tent pegging with lance and also with swords came off on the race course. The tug of war for mounted troops was also competed for as was fencing with Sabres for British troops, the prize being presented by Major Hill inspector of Gymnasia. Eleven Competed. In first bout Sergeant McGuire, beat Corporal Nesbit by 5 points to 4. Corporal Pilkington beat Corporal Reilly ; Sergeant OGorman beat Corporal Adge ; Volunteer Ancell beat Corporal Squires. In the second bout Sergeant Robson beat Sergeant O'Gorman and in the final Sergeant Robson beat Volunteer Ancell and thus won the first prize. Sergeant O'Gorman won second prize. In fencing with foils eight competed, Sergeant O'Gorman Commissariat Department, won the first prize, also the silver medal presented by the London Committee. Color Sergeant Robson, Durhams, won the second prize. In the tug war for mounted native troops three teams competed. The 1st Bombay Lancers beat the 4th Bombay Cavalry. In the Final the Lancers and Governor's Body Guard remained and will pull off to-morrow.

The best man at arms in this year's assault at arms in dismounted competition is Sergeant O'Gorman, Commissariat Department who won the prize presented by the General Commanding Forces, also the silver medal presented by the Committee of Presidential assault-at-arms. The similar event for British mounted men was won by Private Brown, 20th Hussars.

In the tug-of-war for mounted troops 3 teams entered. In the first tie No 1 Field Battery beat L Battery Royal Horse Artillery. The final between the 20th Hussars and the first Field Battery will be pulled to-morrow. In tent pegging with the lance for native officers 23 competed. Jemadar Mahomed Khan, 4th Bombay Cavalry, Dafadar Major Hambirao Nirbalkar, Risaldar Ramchenderao Matadeo. and Jemedar Ramsing 1st Bombay Lancers, remain for the finals. In tent pegging with lances for British officers, 21 competed and 5 remain for the finals, which will be played out to-morrow, namely : Lieutenant Bott, 20th Hussars (6 points), Lieutenant Parry, R. A. (5 points) ; Lieutenant Hopwood, 1st Lancers (12 poinst); and Lieutenant Cobham, 2nd Lancers and Lieutenant Sweny, Royal Fusiliers (9 points each.) The other competitors were Captains Schneider and Beatty ; Lieutenants Ellwood, Saville, Hopwood, and Cooper, 1st Bombay Lancers ; Lieutenants Rowcroft and Raymond, 4th Bombay Cavalry ; Captain Luard of the Durhams, Captain Campbell and Lieutenant Bridges, R. H. A. ; Lieutenant James, 20th Hussars ; Lieutenants Barrow and Galloway, R.A. ; Lieutenant Moore, 38th Pioneers ; and Lieutenant Crawford.

This afternoon a large and fashionable gathering of spectators assembled to witness the Assault-at-Arms, when several interesting events was decided. The pavilion erected by the Sippers were decorated with flags and evergreens. Tent-pegging with sword for officers was won by Lieutenant Bridges, R. H. A., with 16 points. His style for riding and lifting pegs was admired. Captain Beatty 1st Bombay Lancers, came second with 8 points ; in heads and posts for Officers, nearly almost all the same officers entered ; Won by LieutenantBott 20th Hussars, with 18 points. Lieutenant Rowcroft, 4th Bombay Cavalry, made 17. In heads and posts for Native Officers was won by Jemadar Mohindia Khan, 1st Bombay Lancers, 22 points. Jemadar Ramsing of the same Regiment being second. Tent-pegging with sword was won by Risaldar-Major Manawar Khan, Poona Horse, with 24 points. Driving competition for Field Artillery, 34th and 16th Field Batteries remain in for finals. Tent-pegging with swords for Native Cavalry, was won by Duffadar Mahomed Khan, 2nd Bombay Lancers, who made 68 points. Their style for jumping was much admired in each run they took three pegs. The 4th Bombay Cavalry made 67, and 1st Bombay Lancers 66 points. A similar event for the British foot section stood over for the final, and was won by 16th Field Battery in grand style. In the first run four of them took pegs, and in second run three. Their performance being loudly applauded. They scored 48 points : L. Battery, R. H. A., received 20 points ; the 29th Feld Battery, 24 points ; 20th Hussars, 18 points. After completing several events there were general displays, first of all the Musical Ride by the 1st Bombay Lancers, consisting of Plaiting the Maypole on horseback. Troopers, each holding long coloured ribbon, rode round the pole without any hitch. After this the Royal Horse Artillery Musical Drive came off. This was by L. Battery, in which three sections of two guns each took part, and went through it without a hitch. The difficulty of manœuvering six guns in and out of each other while galloping was done excellently and acquitted themselves in a wonderful manner. The jumping over hurdle was exceedingly good especially the part in which the performers running up in quick succession without the least pause and diving between the legs of men standing on dummy made quite an effective picture. One of the features of the present assault at Arms has undoubtedly been made by men of the 2nd Bombay Lancers, who took the trouble to come all the way from Deesa. The men were all well turned out. Risaldar Dakda Mahomed Abal Khan, who went at full speed on horseback performed, half-dozen different feats. He is certainly a most skilful and daring horseman, picking up a lance from the ground and lifting a peg, a feat which was creditably performed by him. He also stood on horse back, galloping and firing a revolver. To-morrow the distribution of prizes by General Duncan will take place. Great credit is due to Major Hill and Sergeant-Major O'Gorman for their excellent arrangements.

CRICKET.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE *VS.* LORD SANDHURST'S ELEVEN.

A match played between the Royal Indian Marine and Lord Sandhurst's Eleven resulted in a victory for the home team. Greig made 113, not out, without giving a chance, Martin made 33 for the Navymen, Bach made 15, the only one who got double figures. Lord Sandhurst's eleven made 206 against 43 by the Navy men.

SERIOUS ILLNESS OF MAJOR WALTER.

Major Walter, Commanding 14th Bombay Infantry, is still very ill. It is believed Dr. Hatch comes from Bombay to perform an operation.

PLAGUE AT HUBLI AND BHOR STATE.

Fifty-three cases and forty deaths were recorded in Hubli town on 30th : in the district there were two cases and three deaths at Bhor. The four plague cases which were in the Sassoon Hospital have been transferred to the General Plague Hospital which opened yesterday. The plague is very bad in Vinchur, of Nasik district. The villages of Gondagaon and Doggargon, of Sinnar taluka are also attacked with plague.

TABLE TALK.

(BY WALTER BESANT.)

LONDON, AUG. 12.

By the time the reader gets this column he will have read all that has to be said or has been said about the greatness of Bismarck. I submit, therefore, the following remarks with great deference and humility. Everything, little or big, that is accomplished, achieved, or created, is the work of one man. One man must first understand, exactly and clearly, what it is that he wants ; he must then resolve upon accomplishing this achievement by his own efforts ; he must be able to make men work under him and for him, exactly as he wants that work done ; he must make them work by terror of him, or by affection for him, or by faith in him ; any of these reasons will do so that they do work ; he must trample on everybody in his way. Whether you create an empire, or govern a school, or lead an army, or edit a newspaper, or direct a company, or manage a hotel, or command a ship, there is but one way ; first, to know what you want, and next to shape your course straight for what you want, beating down all obstacles in your way. The successful schoolmaster, who must needs possess all the qualities of a Bismarck, ruthlessly gets rid of his incompetent assistants to begin with, fills their places with new men, makes these new men horribly afraid of him, inspires them with some, not all, of his own ideas, sets them to work in his way, not in theirs, and ends by making his school a great power in the land. Prussia wanted such a man, with such qualities. They are rare. One such was necessary, however, to lift it out of the groove in which it lay, neglected and unconsidered by the Powers. Bismarck came ; he not only saw what was wanted, but he made the King understand as well ; his force of character was so great that he made the King do what he wanted. He proceeded to trample on Denmark, on Austria, and on France ; he got what he wanted ; he made his country great. A man who has anything important to do, whether it is to make a company successful, or a nation great, must be judged by his achievements. We must not inquire too closely into the method ; we must first look at the result ; and we must not ask why scruples did not interpose at this point, or why the voice of conscience was not heard at this other point Not only is the great man small in the eyes of his valet, who only sees the small actions, which, indeed, are common to humanity, such as putting on a clean collar and brushing one's hat, but he is small in the eyes of the compiler of reminiscences and memoirs. By this inconvenient person he is constantly belittled because the end which he had in view is constantly lost to sight. We read already of how Bismarck did this and that. Unworthy of Bismarck, was it not ? Yet he achieved what he intended. Can there be one law for the great man, and another for the small ? I know not ; the fact remains that Bismarck and Napoleon, Marlborough, Julius Cæsar, and all the other great men of the earth are commonly reported to have done, from time to time, many little things ; many unworthy things ; mean things ; things that the valet who brushed the great man's hat would not have done. Yet the great man remains great, and always remains great.

There was an article in the Paris "Figaro" last week which made one uneasy. Nothing about Anglophobia, or Egypt, or the Alliance with Russia ; nothing of that kind. It was about certain ideas which, according to the writer, M. Rene Bazin, have now running through the mind of the French peasant. In all ages the peasant remains the same ; he works mechanically all day, and without cessation ; he talks little ; but he remembers ; and sometimes, as by some electric flash, a group of ideas seizes him and passes swiftly from one to the other till it has overrun the whole country and made everything ready for an explosion. In this way the "Jacquerie" sprang : in this way, Wat Tyler's Rebellion, the most dangerous outbreak that has ever threatened this country—it was entirely due to a small group of new ideas which had seized the people. In this way the French Revolution, due to another group of ideas, seized on the workpeople at once and prompted them to drive out the nobles, to kill them for the sins of their forefathers, to burn their chateau, and to destroy their title deeds and papers. For the people remember ; they never forget. In the same way, if you talk to-day with a Norfolk peasant, he will see much the same language about the ownership of the land as was used five hundred years ago when his ancestor joined Wat Tyler and followed John Ball. He does not forget. M. Bazin says that, from one end of France to the other, the peasant is filled with the insane idea that in future the rich will pay the taxes—all the taxes—and the country instead of the poor. They do not reason ; they know of no arguments ; they only know that they hate taxes, that they find it difficult to pay them, and that the rich are going to pay them all in the immediate future. What is to happen when the rich have become poor, they do not know. The one new idea that has seized upon the brain of the French peasant, is that the rich must be made to pay. Now if this idea is not a fleeting form of words, if it really takes root, and flourishes and puts forth branches, what will be the fruit ?

I have just received an unexpected blow ; a blow impossible to expect ; impossible to guard against ; a blow at one's self-conceit, which is one of the hardest blows of any. You shall hear. About sixteen years ago—it was in 1882—I paid a visit to a most curious and interesting place in the south of France. I was staying at Avignon, and I visited the place by way of Tarascon, the birth-place of Tartarin, whom I met that day walking in the shade of the trees on the Place. I do not think his *memoires* had then been written, but I remember him well. The way to get to this place is by taking a *voiture* from Tarascon, and driving there. That is to say, it is one way, and the easiest. The road is good, and newly constructed. Why they made so good a road I know not, unless they wanted to spend money, because you meet nothing on the way except a few waggons loaded with newly-cut stone. The road winds in and about among the hills called Les Alpines. They are not high mountains but low hills covered in April with a short turf ; there are no trees and there are no streams ; I saw no creatures and no birds ; the whole place is deserted and dead. After eight or ten miles we arrived at the place which I had set out to visit.

It is a very remarkable place ; it is nothing less than a deserted city ; lifeless save for a few stonecutters in a corner with their chapel and their tavern ; the city itself, clinging to the steep slopes of the hillside, consists of houses built of stone in and about the time of Francis the First, of gallant memory. The houses, with their carvings and decorations, still stand; they are roofless ; the woodwork has gone ; the windows have lost their glass ; but there they stand. Higher up the hill there are the ruins of a castle a great deal older than the city. What does it all mean ? The position of the place, to begin with, was extremely strong in the days when every hilltop was bound to have its own castle. It was so strong that the castle here was the most important in the whole country round, and therefore it became the site of the law courts, and the abode of the lawyers, of the whole district. All these beautiful houses were built along these steep and narrow lanes in the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries ; they were the houses of the lawyers, and very comfortable quarters they were. Now, in 1792, when the French Revolution was in its full and joyous swing, the people in the neighbouring towns, especially Arles and Tarascon, remembered that at this place were kept all their mortgages, leases, proofs of debt, agreements, liabilities, title deeds of their proprietors and seigneurs, and everything which allowed other people to have a claim upon them. So with one consent they rose ; they marched upon the place, and they burned all the documents. I suppose that nobody will ever be able to calculate or to appreciate the enormous changes made possible in France by the wholesale destruction of the legal documents at the beginning of the Revolution. However, the courts were there, the papers were destroyed, the lawyers had no more work to expect, no more money to make : they, therefore, all went away; with the n went away all the trade of the place, and all the traders ; all the servicd of the place and all the servants ; the amusements and the mummers ; the taverns and the drinkers ; everybody who used the town left it empty and deserted ; as empty and as deserted as Tadmor in the wilderness.

I spent four hours in the place ; I made the acquaintance of two young fellows—that must be now about forty—who were painting among the ruins ; they had studied in an English Art School, and were delightful for courtesy and obligingness. I then drove back to Tarascon, had dinner at the hotel, observed the beauty of the girls of Tarascon—they are more beautiful even than the Arlesiennes—and returned to Avignon by train. I wrote down my notes, and when I got home I prepared a careful account of this place for the *Saturday Review*, which in those days sometimes put in such things from me. The article was called "Les Baux." It appeared in May or June, 1882, and doubtless you all remember it.

Very well, I am now on holiday. I have with me a shelf full of books that I want to read, because while I am at work I have little time for reading. Among them is Baring Gould's "In Troubadour Land," a very charming book, particularly if you know the country, and I certainly thought that I knew all the places described by this admirable writer. Would you believe it ? The most remarkable feature about Les Baux is one that I never found out. How I missed it is inconceivable. I knew that it was built on a steep hillside ; I did not know that it is built on the top of a high precipice, and I never discovered this fact. You see, I approached it from the side where there is no view of the precipice ; you do not see the precipice from the other or from the castle. My young friends, the artists, told me nothing about it. I did not stumble upon it, or tumble over it, and until I read Baring Gould's chapter on Les Baux, I had no idea that it was a city perched on the top of a precipice. The fact adds another reason to those which helped to drive out the lawyers. Of course, the citizens of Les Baux must have lived in perpetual terror of falling over the precipice, so that they were thankful for the opportunity which allowed them to climb down and to live in the obvious safety of the plain.

CYCLING AT HOME.

LONDON, AUGUST 12.

The long-expected registration of cyclists is likely soon to be an accomplished fact, as the Home Secretary, Sir M. W. Ridley, has a scheme under consideration dealing with the matter. The idea of numbering cyclists is certainly preferable to the present risk they run of being dragged to police stations and detained for several hours on trumpery charges while their names and addresses are being verified. It is not yet announced what the details of the scheme will be, but inasmuch as successive Chancellors of the Exchequer have invariably decided against a tax, it is confidently assumed that the proposed registration will be free.

It is also to be hoped that its compulsion will be as inoffensive as possible. There is no sense in stipulating for the carrying of enormous plates visible from a distance (in daylight), because the fixing of a name plate on the machine, or the stamping thereon of an official number, would answer every purpose. There are difficulties in the way, of course, but the scheme will be welcomed if it is free, and without irksome technicalities. Many riders now already carry name plates, and take care to ride with documentary evidence of their identity in their pocket books, for it is only a few careless cyclists who wants to conceal his identity in case of accident.

A Norwich club has made itself conspicuous by framing a couple of curious rules. One stipulates that any member exceeding a pace of ten miles an hour when on a club run shall be charged double subscription money, and if by chance his speed shall attain to a rate of getting damage by the wind, he is "pro facto" to cease to be a member. There will have to be a new officer—a speed gauger—in this organization, who will have to exercise a nice judgment to tell when his members are going too fast. Another similar club has effected a sort of insurance against accidents among its members in respect of their cycles. It stipulates that when any breakdown occurs on a club run, the cost of getting damage repaired, whether of the rider of the wrecked crock home again, shall be shared by all the members. The rule went work long in harmony, as the gaspipe riders will soon be at logger-heads, which shows who prefer first-class bicycles that never need attention by the roadside.

The leader of the House of Commons, Mr. A. J. Balfour, has long been an enthusiastic cyclist, and is numb-red amongst those who, like Mr. Graham Murray, the Lord Advocate of Scotland, make a practice of riding to the House. But he must have astonished some of the older sticklers for etiquette to see the right hon. gentleman in his place on duty in a cycling knicker-bocker suit on a recent occasion.

Another cycling fatality has occurred from the most prolific of all causes of wheeling disasters, the incautious descent of a danger-boarded hill, and at the inquest, when a verdict of accidental death was returned, the coroner made some strong remarks, among other things, suggesting that a law should be enacted prohibiting cyclists from riding beyond danger boards. Presumably if this were the case he would direct juries to find verdicts of suicide when he is constantly lost to sight. We read already of how Bismarck did this and that. Unworthy of Bismarck, was it not ? Yet he achieved what he intended. Can there be one law for the great man, and another for the small ? I know not ; the fact remains that Bismarck and Napoleon, Marlborough, Julius Cæsar, and all the other great men of the earth are commonly reported to have done, from time to time, many little things ; many unworthy things ; mean things ; things that the valet who brushed the great man's hat would not have done. Yet the great man remains great, and always remains great.

There was an article in the Paris "Figaro" last week which made one uneasy. Nothing about Anglophobia, or Egypt, or the Alliance with Russia ; nothing of that kind. It was about certain ideas which, according to the writer, M. Rene Bazin, have now running through the mind of the French peasant. In all ages the peasant remains the same ; he works mechanically all day, and without cessation ; he talks little ; but he remembers ; and sometimes, as by some electric flash, a group of ideas seizes him and passes swiftly from one to the other till it has overrun the whole country and made everything ready for an explosion. In this way the "Jacquerie" sprang : in this way, Wat Tyler's Rebellion, the most dangerous outbreak that has ever threatened this country—it was entirely due to a small group of new ideas which had seized the people. In this way the French Revolution, due to another group of ideas, seized on the workpeople at once and prompted them to drive out the nobles, to kill them for the sins of their forefathers, to burn their chateau, and to destroy their title deeds and papers. For the people remember ; they never forget. In the same way, if you talk to-day with a Norfolk peasant, he will see much the same language about the ownership of the land as was used five hundred years ago when his ancestor joined Wat Tyler and followed John Ball. He does not forget. M. Bazin says that, from one end of France to the other, the peasant is filled with the insane idea that in future the rich will pay the taxes—all the taxes—and the country instead of the poor. They do not reason ; they know of no arguments ; they only know that they hate taxes, that they find it difficult to pay them, and that the rich are going to pay them all in the immediate future. What is to happen when the rich have become poor, they do not know. The one new idea that has seized upon the brain of the French peasant, is that the rich must be made to pay. Now if this idea is not a fleeting form of words, if it really takes root, and flourishes and puts forth branches, what will be the fruit ?

I have just received an unexpected blow ; a blow impossible to expect ; impossible to guard against ; a blow at one's self-conceit, which is one of the hardest blows of any. You shall hear. About sixteen years ago—it was in 1882—I paid a visit to a most curious and interesting place in the south of France. I was staying at Avignon, and I visited the place by way of Tarascon, the birth-place of Tartarin, whom I met that day walking in the shade of the trees on the Place. I do not think his *memoires* had then been written, but I remember him well. The way to get to this place is by taking a *voiture* from Tarascon, and driving there. That is to say, it is one way, and the easiest. The road is good, and newly constructed. Why they made so good a road I know not, unless they wanted to spend money, because you meet nothing on the way except a few waggons loaded with newly-cut stone. The road winds in and about among the hills called Les Alpines. They are not high mountains but low hills covered in April with a short turf ; there are no trees and there are no streams ; I saw no creatures and no birds ; the whole place is deserted and dead. After eight or ten miles we arrived at the place which I had set out to visit.

It is a very remarkable place ; it is nothing less than a deserted city ; lifeless save for a few stonecutters in a corner with their chapel and their tavern ; the city itself, clinging to the steep slopes of the hillside, consists of houses built of stone in and about the time of Francis the First, of gallant memory. The houses, with their carvings and decorations, still stand; they are roofless ; the woodwork has gone ; the windows have lost their glass ; but there they stand. Higher up the hill there are the ruins of a castle a great deal older than the city. What does it all mean ? The position of the place, to begin with, was extremely strong in the days when every hilltop was bound to have its own castle. It was so strong that the castle here was the most important in the whole country round, and therefore it became the site of the law courts, and the abode of the lawyers, of the whole district. All these beautiful houses were built along these steep and narrow lanes in the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries ; they were the houses of the lawyers, and very comfortable quarters they were. Now, in 1792, when the French Revolution was in its full and joyous swing, the people in the neighbouring towns, especially Arles and Tarascon, remembered that at this place were kept all their mortgages, leases, proofs of debt, agreements, liabilities, title deeds of their proprietors and seigneurs, and everything which allowed other people to have a claim upon them. So with one consent they rose ; they marched upon the place, and they burned all the documents. I suppose that nobody will ever be able to calculate or to appreciate the enormous changes made possible in France by the wholesale destruction of the legal documents at the beginning of the Revolution. However, the courts were there, the papers were destroyed, the lawyers had no more work to expect, no more money to make : they, therefore, all went away; with them went away all the trade of the place, and all the traders ; all the servicd of the place and all the servants ; the amusements and the mummers ; the taverns and the drinkers ; everybody who used the town left it empty and deserted ; as empty and as deserted as Tadmor in the wilderness.

I spent four hours in the place ; I made the acquaintance of two young fellows—that must be now about forty—who were painting among the ruins ; they had studied in an English Art School, and were delightful for courtesy and obligingness. I then drove back to Tarascon, had dinner at the hotel, observed the beauty of the girls of Tarascon—they are more beautiful even than the Arlesiennes—and returned to Avignon by train. I wrote down my notes, and when I got home I prepared a careful account of this place for the *Saturday Review*, which in those days sometimes put in such things from me. The article was called "Les Baux." It appeared in May or June, 1882, and doubtless you all remember it.

Very well, I am now on holiday. I have with me a shelf full of books that I want to read, because while I am at work I have little time for reading. Among them is Baring Gould's "In Troubadour Land," a very charming book, particularly if you know the country, and I certainly thought that I knew all the places described by this admirable writer. Would you believe it ? The most remarkable feature about Les Baux is one that I never found out. How I missed it is inconceivable. I knew that it was built on a steep hillside ; I did not know that it is built on the top of a high precipice, and I never discovered this fact. You see, I approached it from the side where there is no view of the precipice ; you do not see the precipice from the other or from the castle. My young friends, the artists, told me nothing about it. I did not stumble upon it, or tumble over it, and until I read Baring Gould's chapter on Les Baux, I had no idea that it was a city perched on the top of a precipice. The fact adds another reason to those which helped to drive out the lawyers. Of course, the citizens of Les Baux must have lived in perpetual terror of falling over the precipice, so that they were thankful for the opportunity which allowed them to climb down and to live in the obvious safety of the plain.

THE CITY MORTALITY

The Municipal Office returns for the twenty-four hours ending 6 a.m., yesterday, give the following results :—

WARDS.		No. of Attacks.	No. of Deaths from Bubonic Plague.	Total Deaths from all Causes.
A	Upper Colaba	0	0	
	Mid. & Lower Colaba	0	0	
	Fort, Southern	0	0	4
	Fort, Northern	2	0	
	Esplanade	0	0	
	Mandvie	4	1	
B	Chuckla	1	0	23
	Umarkhady	6	2	
	Dongri	3	1	
C	Market	1	0	
	Dhobi Talao	1	1	
	Panaswady	0	0	23
	Bhuleshwar	1	0	
	Khara Talao	1	0	
	Kumbharwada	3	0	
D	Khetwadi	0	0	
	Girgaum	0	0	
	Chowpatty	0	0	2
	Walkeshwar	0	0	
	Mahaluxmi	0	0	
E	Mazagon	0	0	
	Tarwady	0	0	
	Second Nagpada	0	0	
	Kamatipura	5	4	35
	Tardeo	2	1	
	Byculla	4	0	
	First Nagpada	3	0	
F	Parel	0	0	
	Sewree	0	0	4
	Sion	0	0	
G	Mahim	0	0	
	Worlee	4	0	5
	Water Division	0	0	
	N.-E. & Unknown	1a	0	2
	HOSPITALS.			
	Lobana		1	
	Khoja		1	21
	Madunpura		1	
	Maratha		4	
	Total	39	17	119
	Total death to date	31,511	27,017	
	Same date last year	2	2	136

a Found on road, dead in C ward Kumbharwada, Grant Road.

There was one plague case reported within the Bandra Municipal District on the 31st August.

DAMAUN.

The plague mortality at Lower Damaun on the 23th, 29th, 30th and 31st August was respectively one, nil, one and one, while the general mortality on the same dates last year was respectively one, two, nil and one.—The total mortality of Lower Damaun for the month of August was 34, whereof 26 were from plague, 4 from asthma, 1 from dropsy, 1 from dysentery, 1 from epilepsy and 1 from old age. Of these 14 were Machis, 7 Mahomedans, 3 Christians, 3 Dooblas, 2 Banias, 2 Sonis, 1 Naik, 1 Sootar and 1 Dhed.

DEATH OF BAI DINBAI NASARWANJEE PETIT.

We deeply regret to announce the death of Bai Dinbai Nasarwanjee Petit, sister-in-law of Sir Dinshaw Manockjee Petit, Bart., and grandmother of Mr. Jeejeebhoy Framjee Petit, the prospective Baronet in the Petit family, which took place rather suddenly at her bungalow at Gowalia Tank Road about 10 o'clock yesterday morning, in the sixty-seventh year of her age. She had been in failing health for some time, and during the Parsee holidays, known as the "Mookhtad," that is exactly a year ago, her illness caused grave anxiety among her relatives, but she recovered under the treatment of the late Dr. K. N. Bahadurjee. During the last few days she had been in her usual health until Wednesday, and her death has taken the Parsee community by surprise. For a few days past, she was troubled with cancer in the throat, but there was no immediate cause for anxiety. On Thursday, her condition became very weak from diabetes, from which she had been suffering for some time, and Drs A. P. Cama and J. Lillaowalla were called in, and did their best to alleviate the sufferings of the deceased lady. About 1 o'cock yesterday morning, on her condition becoming rather alarming, Dr. Hatch was at once summoned, and on his finding that her breathing was very hard, he advised an operation to be performed immediately for the opening of the cancer in the throat. Before performing the operation, it was deemed necessary to administer morphia ; but the lady began to sink, and up to the time of her death remained in an unconscious state.

Since the death of her husband Mr. Nasarwanjee Manockjee Petit, brother of Sir Dinshaw Manockjee Petit, in 1891, Bai Dinbai had given away twenty-five lakhs of rupees in charity. As one notable instance of her munificence, may be mentioned the offer of five lakhs of rupees she made to the Municipal Corporation for the building of a Public Hall on the Esplanade, which was to bear the name of her deceased husband. The plans and designs of the proposed hall were finally approved by the Corporation, and were some months ago submitted to Bai Dinbai for her final approval. Her husband left her in sole control of his large wealth and estate, and public opinion has testified that Bai Dinbai administered her trust with a large-hearted benevolence and considerable discrimination. The stream of Bai Dinbai's and

passed a night in the open, sleeping on the bare grass, and he described the exploit with such a zest as to draw forth the inquiry whether the experience was entirely without qualification and unconditionally enjoyed by the merriment of the [illegible]

A SEARCH OF THE BIRDS.

The Kensington Colonist, a lad of thirteen, drove me to the station. He proved refreshingly unconcerned. "Have much trouble with tramps?" I asked. "No, but it was a wonder we don't," said he. "The place is all left open at night; our people won't have any locks or bolts," and he shook his solemn little head over the unwholesome of his sanlom. I was surprised to hear that the Kensington Colonist goes bird-nesting. "Well, I don't rob nests," he explained. "If there are three or four eggs, I only take one. That doesn't matter, you know, because birds can't count. "But your father found the other colonists—do they know you do it?" I asked. "Of course they know," the little fellow merrily retorted. "They think it's wrong, but that won't stop me. Because we are all allowed to do as we like, and don't think it's wrong." So self-reliant a lad is sure to meet with. "Look at my brother now," he solemnly continued. "He goes out after girls with a fiddle. Father and the others think it's wrong, but I can't see it. What are forests for?" I asked him what work he did on the colony. "I drive the pony and look after him," was the matter-of-fact reply. "Have you anything to do with the trees?" "No," my further inquiry. "No," he replied, with decision. "And if they asked me to, I wouldn't. I've thought about that. Do you know why I wouldn't?" he went on, gravely looking up into my face. "No—why?" "Because if he slipped when I was driving him, he'd jerk me, being so little, clean out of the cart."

DUTCH MANNERS AND CUSTOMS.

The coronation of Queen Wilhelmina naturally evokes interest in all things Dutch. The artist may linger in Amsterdam to wonder at "The Night Watch"; the florist may linger amid the tulips of Haarlem; but the average English traveller allows about a week, the average American three days, to "do" the land of fat pastures and of world-famed cleanliness. It is expensive, and it is small, so the tourist hurries on, and takes little note of the doings of society, of the home life of a rich and prosperous people. There is only one fashionable place in Holland—the Hague. Now the Hague, with its queer mouldy odours, does not give an impression of gaiety to the average visitor. It is an acquired taste; but, once acquired, it is apt to be abiding, for it is possible for a girl, at any rate, to have a remarkable good time between Scheveningen and Het den Bosch. The Dutch girl is not kept mewed up in a convent; if not so graceful as a French woman, she is by no means so dowdy as a German Fraulein. She is often pretty, and not always after the plump rosy order. When Henry the Eighth distressed poor Anne of Cleves at a great Flanders mare, he forestalled the nearly favourable verdict. Theirs is, however, a choice type that tells its own romantic story of love amid the bitterest hatred. Some of the swarthy Spaniards who were so stately and so cruel, must have wooed and won the sweet, fair, blue-eyed women of certain dark-eyed maidens of to-day, and left a charming legacy of Spanish beauty behind them. The Dutch girl is not often brilliant, but she is very solidly educated and a good linguist.

A Dutch wedding is a portentous business. Smart Holland does its devotions in barnlike French Protestant churches. The wedding service is mournful to a degree, and lasts two hours. The bridegroom, in full evening dress, and the bride, in orthodox white ado, sit upon chairs in front of the black-robed minister. He delivers an extempore address fairly bristling with personalities. Meanwhile relations sob in pews, until finally everyone who can prove the remotest connection with the bride kisses her. Next follows a tremendous breakfast in French style. It is *de rigueur* for all the friends of the bride to send her in the morning a bouquet or basket of white flowers plentifully ribboned. With numbers of these a very gay display is produced, though the Dutch are lamentably behind the times in table decoration and posy-making. With the advent of the *hors d'oeuvre* come speeches. The bride's brother or other delegate first rings a small hand-bell. Then, amid a silence broken by the cheerful clicking of knives and forks, a health is proposed. Then comes a quaint postcript to this very ordinary ceremonial. Ladies and gentlemen must all rise from their seats, solemnly, filing up to the person toasted, touch his glass with their own. After a score of speeches, the thing gets monotonous, but it is carried out to the bitter end. Any person omitted would feel aggrieved. In Holland it is the family before everything. A leading barrister was recently compelled to throw up an important case in order to attend the birthday dinner party of an aged father who lived three hours distant by rail.

The Dutch are excellent husbands, but quite preposterously jealous. An Englishman who found himself in a party consisting almost entirely of assorted couples, ventured to pay a few compliments and mild attentions to a charming young married lady. He even had the assurance to include her in a general offering of roses made to the company. The husband was furious. He cancelled a previously given dinner invitation, and there were awful rumors that, though duels now very rare, he desired to challenge the offender, who wisely placed the sea between himself and his would-be opponent . . . Until quite lately a low-cut dinner dress was unknown, but an imitation of England has supervened here, as in so many other respects. Middleclass Holland is still fifty years behind the times. It has touches of analogy with life in England in the era of John Leech, and is just precoo enough to give a pleasing sense of old worldliness to the jaded tourist, tired, as so many of us are, of what is eternally up-to-date. It will, no doubt, be singular to note the changes that will be effected by the bride young sovereign whose position, so reminiscent of that of our own liege lady, makes English eyes inclined to regard her with an especially sympathetic interest.

A DISCREDITED ELDORADO.

LESSONS DEARLY BOUGHT.

Recent arrivals from Klondyke agree in giving gloomy accounts of the situation and prospects there. One of these, an honest intelligent English miner, who spent the winter working on "lay" in Bear Creek, declares that both the Bonanza and Eldorado Creek have been their disappointments, as they have not produced as well this season as last. Even the rich Eldorado proved to be "spotted," and many claims on it have failed to equal expectations. On Bonanza Creek not one claim in ten has paid more than expenses.

This man, who has claims to sell, and no interest in any transportation company, declares that many men who worked claims during the winter were afraid to sluice out their dumps for fear the output would be so small as to hurt the sale of their mines. The majority of those who worked "lays" on other men's claims failed to make more than their wages. He says it is criminal to represent that every man who secures a claim in a good district is sure of a fortune. For outside a short stretch of three miles on Eldorado Creek no creek has been found which is continuously rich.

It is such reports as these which have checked a repetition of last season's rush to Klondyke. Yet so many prospectors have made their way to Dawson, that there will be serious difficulty in getting food enough for them winter unless there is heavy migration before it sets in. Probably Mr. William Ogilvie, the first surveyor of Klondyke, was largely responsible for the tremendous rush to Dawson last autumn and winter. Mr. Ogilvie surveyed all the rich claims on Bonanza and Eldorado Creeks, and first appearances as the claims justified him in assuming that all the land located on these creeks would pan out as well as the few claims that were opened. But development have shown that the first yields were misleading, and that Klondyke is not uniformly rich. To learn this lesson has cost many hundreds of prospectors' hard earned money and dearly-bought experience.

WILL BISMARCK'S MEMOIRS BE SEIZED?

The denial issued by the Union Publishing Company respecting their possession of Bismarck's memoirs may be genuine, but in any case it may be expected that the whereabouts of the manuscript and the arrangements made for its publication will be persistently kept secret until the book has been safely launched upon the market, or the possessor is satisfied that no seizure is contemplated by the Government. Already a vigorous discussion is being carried on regarding the provisions of the law regulating the publication of State papers, and in some quarters it is asserted that "little Busch" is not even yet safe from prosecution for having given to the public his copy of Bismarck's letter of resignation. Certainly no one now doubts that the haste with which this letter was published—a haste so great as to leave no time to correct the numerous printer's errors—was due to apprehensions lest a wish, equivalent to a command, from an authoritative source might prevent it from seeing the light. Prince Bismarck desired from the first that this letter should be made known, and, it is said, even wrote it with a full sense of the reserve incumbent upon a statesman indicting a document intended for publication. Yet if the Government should take a different view of the situation, and proceed to harsh measures in relation to the memoirs, they would merely be acting in accordance with precedents notoriously set by Prince Bismarck himself.

In this connection it will be well at any rate to bear in mind the fact that Bismarck was supported by no one more thoroughly than by the present Emperor in the censorship action taken against Dr. Geffcken on account of the publication of the Emperor Frederick's diary. What Bismarck's memoirs will reveal no one of course pretends to know. But a confidential utterance said to have been made by the late Lothar Bucher is very significant. Bismarck, as known, commenced the preparation of his memoirs almost immediately after his dismissal, and for that purpose he betook himself to Schonhausen. His courage, however, seems to have forsaken him at sight of the mountains of papers and documents there collected, and he decided to rely mainly on his memory—that memory, by the way, which failed him so conspicuously in the statement he made concerning the Ems dispatch. He dictated in the course of the two following winters most of his materials to Bucher, who took them down in shorthand, and afterwards observed, "How astonished the world will be when it learns how little they contain that is new."

In charities of eminent operatic prime donne are proverbial; but in this respect Madame Calve seems to have struck out a new, though certainly a highly commendable line. She finishes her vacation at Aix, and she has notified the nuns at Millau that after that date she proposes to entertain on her farm at Cabrieres, in Aveyron, a number of poor young girl convalescents. The first batch of a dozen sickly girls chosen by the good sisters, and accompanied by a couple of nurses from Agnessac, are to arrive at the farm, and beyond doubt they will have a royal time. It it not every rich lady who would thus convert her pleasure house into a sort of convalescent hospital. But Madame Calve a year or two ago had a serious illness and operation, and she feels grateful for her complete recovery.

The sudden death is announced at Vols, in Carinthia, of the President of the Austrian Superior Military Court, Gustav Baron Eduard von Handel-Marsetti. General Handel-Marsetti, who was sixty years of age, had gone to his country seat for the summer in his usual health and without showing the slightest symptoms of illness. He was for many years the Military Commander of Vienna.

THE ANTARCTIC EXPEDITION.

THE MAN AND THE SHIP.

A CHAT WITH MR. BORCHGREVINK.

On the morning of August 10, the Southern Cross, which is to take Sir George Newnes' exploring expedition to the South Polar seas, reached London, and was duly berthed in St. Katharine's Docks. She lies just where that gallant little floating box the Windward lay on her visits to this port. But she is a very different craft from the one that took Jackson out and brought Nansen home. The Southern Cross is a barquerigged steam whaler of the very stoutest build, greatly strengthened since Mr. Borchgrevink bought her of Mr. Colin Archer, who built the Fram. Great beams have been added, her bows are 11 feet through of solid oak, her sides are 36 inches thick in the weakest part, and over all is a stalwart fender of American greenheart. There is little doubt that she will weather any storm and beat any ice. Though she had a roughish trip from Christiania she looks as spick and span as a yacht, and even to the shoreman's eye it is evident that she is ready for her long voyage to the south. A golden seal at her prow is the only mark left of the old trade of the "Southern Cross." Within and without she is bright with paint. Up aloft is the crow's nest, otherwise the barral in which the lookmaster looks anxiously out for a route. A spare rudder—a perfect monster—almost like one side of her. A nostalgic elk dog looks over the side into the muddy Thames, and moodily thinks of the home he will probably never see again. There are sledges about of various sizes and patterns. Captain Jensen marches you into his handsome chart room and enters into the cartography of the Antarctic regions. He then walks you along his quarter deck, lifts up a wooden grid and proudly shows you how the screw is brought on deck by tackles when the ice crushes. The Captain is a Norwegian with many years' experience of Polar seas; a grave, word-weighing, quick-moving man of thirty-five, upon whom responsibility has long since stamped its marks. You can easily see that he is

VERY PROUD OF HIS SHIP.

He should be. Though they have only been in port for a few hours, they are already getting the upper hold ready for the reception of the tons and tons of stores which are to be taken—meats, vegetables, bread (five tons of that alone), liquors, and all manner of compressed foods. The Southern Cross is taking out also a large wardrobe of the most extraordinary garments, strange sleeping bads, huge mits, gargantuan boots, and so forth. There are also kajaks, akl, collapsible boats, sledges, instruments of all kinds—astronomical, meteorological, photographical, and many others. They have tents of all sorts and sizes down to the four pound silk 'un for light marches. They have flags for Imperial purposes—and a brand new Union Jack which the Duke of York has presented to the expedition.

At this moment comes up Mr. Borchgrevink, a fair stalwart, genial half Norse, half Englishman, in the very prime of life, thirty-four, in high spirits. His is not the giant frame of Nansen, but he looks as strong and hale as any Samson, before his hair was cut. Oppressed though he was with affairs, he was good enough to give the representative of "The Daily News" a few minutes to describe his plans.

"When do you go?" I said.

"The sooner the better," said he.

"In week or ten days?"

He nodded, in short, the ship is ready, and only awaits the stores and the coal.

"And your first point?"

"From here to Hobart Town, via the tender for coal."

He then placed a small chart of Antarctica upon the cabin table, and I cross-examined him.

IMAGINE THE SOUTH POLE TO BE THAT TINY CIRCLE,

surround it entirely by a large and irregular line, the interior of which shows dead white on the chart. That crooked patch is to be Mr. Borchgrevink's hunting ground. I asked him how big it was, just roughly—a hundred thousand miles don't matter evidently.

"About eight million square miles," said he.

"Absolutely unexplored. What do you expect to find?"

"It is unwise to say," the explorer answered, with much caution.

"Mosses?"

"It is possible. Many of the Challenger cannot say why not."

"A new race would be a find. What about the fauna? Any Polar bears or seals?"

"Nobody knows."

"What a delightful expedition it is going to be. Ah, so uncertain!"

"Very uncertain," said the explorer. "It adds to our difficulties greatly. You remember that Nansen and Johansen lived on blubber when they took to the ice. But we shall have to take our food with us—penguins largely. There are millions of them, and so fat that, upon my word, if you dropped a wick down one of their throats and lighted it you would have a living lamp."

I thought Mr. B. must be chaffing from sheer high spirits. But his face never once relaxed. I take the statement to be merely figurative, however. Eloquent of the high living which the Antarctic penguin indulges in. Walk till the white man plants his little flag on the ice and lets in civilization!

Mr. Borchgrevink and the Southern Cross will

SAIL AND STEAM ACROSS THE ATLANTIC,

run down their Eastings, as sailors say until they reach Hobart, the capital of Tasmania. After a brief half to take in fresh stores and more coal, they will then steer nearly due South for Cape Adair, a point of South Victoria land upon which the leader of the expedition was the first man to set foot three or four years ago. At that time he was a member of another expedition (Captain Jensen being with him in the capacity of second mate), a commercial one, in search of the "right" whale (admirable name for the saleable article!). They remained therefore a few hours and then sailed away. Since which Mr. Borchgrevink has burned to explore this vast unknown continent which is supposed on the authority of rocks to exist in Antarctica. Chunks from opposite sides of that immense patch of dead white were compared and found to be similar. That is the argument from the evidence of geology. At Cape Adair

THE MAIN CAMP

will be established, the two wooden houses, which are now in the hold being put up. The Southern Cross will then sail away on a marine expedition, and a trip to Hobart with the news, and so on. By the time she returns in the spring the winter ice will have broken up, and she will once more join hands with the expedition proper. They will by this time have learned the lay of the country, if they have had luck the magnetic pole will have been fixed; and they will be ready for a dash for the Geographical Pole. This much desired point is not exactly down in the programme, which is avowedly scientific, but we may be perfectly sure that such a bold spirit as Mr. Borchgrevink will bring the South Pole in his pocket if he gets a start. Its distance from the main camp as the crow flies is some 1,200 miles. It all sounds very exciting. There are millions of square miles of ice and land which no man has seen to roam over. Who can say what surprises may be in store for us? Ross in the Erebus and terror expedition of 1841 merely saw the fringe of the immense continent—twice as big as Europe. Mr. Borchgrevink hopes to find that once he has climbed the lofty ice-wall which confronts you at Cape Adair they may find plateaus as Nansen did when he crossed Greenland. But even if he

FAILS TO BAG THE SOUTH POLE

he will do very well if the important question of the Magnetic Pole is settled once and for all. The expedition numbers some thirty men, all told. Lieutenant Colbeck, R.N.R., is the first magnetic observer, and for some time past has studied at Kew. He will be assisted by Mr. Louis Bernacchi, of the Melbourne Observatory. The medical officer is Dr. Klovstad, of Christiania University. Mr. Hansen, of the British Museum, and Mr. Hugh Evans will score as zoologist and collectors. Everyone is a picked man, used to roughing it. And last, not least, are the eighty Samoyede dogs who will soon be barking aboard the good ship "Southern Cross." They hope to sail in ten days. May good fortune follow them. Such a handsomely equipped private expedition has never sailed from these shores before. We do not wonder that Sir George Newnes is proud of it.

Some of the glory should certainly be his.

A most amusing account of cricket through French glasses appears in a recent number of *Le Petit Parisien*. The article, which is devoted to an account of the doings of Dr. Grace on the cricketfield, describes the game as a modification of an old French game called "crosse" or "criquet." To play this game according to *Le Petit Parisien*, you take two sticks of about three feet in height and place them in the ground about ten centimetres apart. The play consists in throwing a ball in such a manner as to make the wicket fall. But the original French is too good to lose:—"Cette balle, qui a presque la durete du fer, est tantot de liege recouvert de peau, tantot de laniores de cuir fortement serrees. Les joueurs ont des gants de peau analogues a ceux des salles d'escrime; l'un d'eux, dans chaque camp, est arme d'un "bat" c'est-a-dire d'un battoir a long manche." After this who shall say that cricket is not worthy of being the British National sport? Having given this lucid account of cricket *Le Petit Parisien* goes on to describe a very singular match that was once played at Kennington presumably the Oval. There were on one side eleven one-armed men, on the other an eleven each of whom had one wooden leg. The contest lasted several days. When was the Oval so honoured? As for Dr. Grace, England is in mourning because he has laid down his bat and renounced the glories of the ball. To show her appreciation of "le roi de cricket" a national subscription has been organised to give him a work of art. That Dr. Grace has retired at all will be news to most of his friends.

At the present moment there is not two months' stock of Welsh coal in any of the Royal Dockyards for the supply of the ships belonging to the several ports. However, a remedy has been found, and as the strike continued, the depletion of the Welsh-country coal would only open up a trade in another direction, without having recourse to the admixture of Northumberland, Durham, and other sorts with the home-produced anthracite. The question of the supply of Welsh coal to the Government is becoming more serious every day, and as a coal certainly not inferior is obtainable; there is little doubt that the authorities will avail themselves of this rather than put up with more inconvenience.

The mischievous and widespread effects of the South Wales coal strike formed not the least important part of the Chairman's statement at the half-yearly meeting of the great Western Railway Company. The company has sustained a direct loss upon the carriage of minerals amounting to £138,000. But those figures by no means represent the whole of the damage that has accrued from the unfortunate dispute. There has been loss from the higher price of coal, and also from decreased traffic in various kinds of merchandise due to the strike. This is hardly calculable, but it is easy to understand that it may have been very considerable indeed.

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AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL NOTES OF MR. WREN.

The unique success of the late Mr. Wren caused many heart-burnings in other quarters, and Mr. Wren was called every sort of disparaging name. As a matter of fact, however, he was not at all a "crammer." His system was not in the slightest that of giving a smattering in many subjects. On the contrary, non multa sed multum was his motto; a minimum of subjects and thorough knowlege of these were what he urged upon his pupils.

The popular idea of a crammer (said Wren on one occasion) is that of a man who stuffs his pupil with knowledge as they fatten chickens, by means of a tube through which prepared food is forced into their gullets. But there is a difference between crammers and chicken fatteners, for the pupil of the crammer, instead of growing fat like the chicken, is expected to be able to secrete, or rather to exude on examination day the material with which he has been previously forced into him—a more utterly opposed to true education could hardly be imagined, unless, indeed, it be the system, inefficient, slovenly and contemptible, which prevails at most of our public schools.

He was naturally proud of beating the public schools, and his success was certainly an extraordinary triumph for individual energy.

What, it may be asked, was the secret of Mr. Wren's success? Individual attention was part of it. He had a remarkable aptitude for discerning a boy's tastes and capacity, and he made each pupil concentrate on those studies for which he was most fitted. Secondly, he was a thorough business man and a relentless disciplinarain. There was great strength of will in his fragile frame, and he had the art of impressing it upon his pupils. But here again we cannot do better than quote Mr. Wren's own words:

A good lady came to me with her son, and at the close of a long interview, in which she had represented him as possessing all the virtues of an unfallen archangel, she casually inquired about his religious training. I replied, "Madam, you pay me to prepare your son to pass the competitive examination for the Civil Service, not for Paradise. If your son is all that you say of him, he stands in need of no religious training," but I went on to say: "There is no place in which your son will be more sharply looked after, from a moral point of view than with me, for I have three golden rules which are enforced inexorably—first, pay no advances; secondly, no money returned; thirdly, work or go."

To like effect he said on another occasion:

The moment I find any pupil weakening or impairing his chances of success at the examination—and every failure at an examination, be it remembered, brings discredit upon my teaching—I am down upon him. I don't preach to him and discourse solemnly upon his fate in the next world if he continues to indulge his passions in this. I say to him there and then, short and sharp, "Look here, my boy; you stop that, or you go. Your father has paid me to put you through, and if you do as I tell you I will put you through, but if you won't, I keep your money and send you about your business."

Next to his scholastic work, Mr. Wren's interest was in politics. Ever an ardent Radical, he was one of the six founders of the National Liberal Club, and he contested several constituencies, though without success. For the London County Council, however, he was most successful, being elected to the first Council "solely upon public grounds, without canvassing, or being personally known to the constituency"—that constituency being North-east Bethnal-green. During his worst days he lived, as we have seen, on his couch; during his best, he walked with the aid of two sticks. For some time past, a combination of maladies brought on by the spinal disease had gradually undermined his strength. "I should like," he once said, "to have inscribed on my tombstone: "Here lies Walter Wren, the greatest friend of the British father who sends his sons to the public schools that ever lived. His exertions forced the headmasters to give parents at least something for the money they pay them." But as even more fitting epitaph would be one referring to the superiority of spirit over matter, and to the triumph which his tenacity of purpose and strength of character achieved over physical infirmity.

THE DRUCE BURIAL CASE.

THE GRAVE TO BE OPENED.

A very important stage in the remarkable litigation in connection with what is known as the Druce mystery was reached on Monday (August 8) when an application was made to Sir Francis Jeune, the President of the Probate, Divorce and Admiralty Division, in Chambers, by counsel for Mrs. Druce (Mr. Statham and Mr. Campbell-Johnson), that he should order a letter to be addressed to the Chancellor of the Consistory Court, requesting him to direct the grave of the late Mr. Thomas Charles Druce, in Highgate Cemetery, to be opened. The result was that the application was granted, and the following letter was received by Mrs. Druce from her solicitors:—

"Dear Madam.—"Re" T. C.—We have the pleasure to inform you that the President of the Probate Division (Sir Francis Jeune) has to-day (Monday), after hearing counsel on both sides and the cross-examination of a witness, made the order for the issue of letters of request to the Chancellor of the Consistory Court to issue a faculty for the opening of the grave.

"Yours faithfully,
"F. J. M'Arthur and Co."

It is stated by the London News Agency that Sir Francis Jeune stayed the order for a few days in order that the interveners might consider the desirability of an appeal. Leave was also given to examine certain witnesses on commission "de bene esse" on behalf of the interveners on the terms that the costs incurred on behalf of Mrs. Druce in cross-examination should be paid by the interveners in any event. It is understood that an independent medical man will attend the exhumation on behalf of the Probate Court, and make an impartial report to the Judge.

The same agency adds: Inquiries go to show that everything will now turn upon the action taken by the legal advisers of the interveners. If anything is to be done to stay the issue of the order, it will be incumbent on the part of the interveners to take action at once. Should they do so, this will open up another phase of the case, and not only will the hands of the Consistory Court be stayed pending the arguments before the Appeal Judges, but the matter will remain in abeyance over the Long Vacation. Provided no appeal is made against Sir Francis Jeune's decision, the order will issue, and a further sitting of the Consistory Court will be held, when Dr. Tristram, the Chancellor of the Diocese, will grant the petitioner the faculty ordering the exhumation.

"This," said Mrs. Druce, triumphantly, "is the first decisive battle in my bewildering array of skirmishing. I have had a tremendous amount of opposition to contend against, and so far I have succeeded. For five years I have laboured incessantly to get evidence in support of my claim. I should not like to say how much money I have spent, and I am prepared to spend twice—three times—as much to carry on the case to a successful issue."

Mrs. Druce further stated that she hoped the vault in Highgate Cemetery would be opened in a few days. Then, of course, would follow further law proceedings. "By Christmas, however," she continued, "my son will be the Duke of Portland, and after nearly six years of never-ceasing work I shall be able to have a long holiday. I think everybody will agree that I deserve one."

Mrs. Druce then related a somewhat remarkable story. She said that for the past three months two men, "tall, dark, and looking like Spaniards," had been following her constantly. She often noticed them, but took no particular heed of their movements, until she received a mysterious warning from an unknown person that efforts were being made to kidnap her. "Since that time," said Mrs. Druce, "I have been very careful as to my movements. The men are still watching me, but I give them no chance that they can take advantage of."

Finally, Mrs. Druce said that, in spite of every opposition, she intended being present at the exhumation at Highgate. "Even my solicitors seem to wish that I shall not be present," she said, "and one has suggested tome that I shall go for a holiday at the seaside. But I shall be at the cemetery, and after the coffin has been opened I shall go out to Sydney and bring back my son—the lawful heir to the Portland Estates and titles—to England."

The Madras Government has had under its consideration the question whether the Commissioner of Police, as a Presidency Magistrate, should take cognisance of offences under section 190 of the Criminal Procedure Code. Mr. Agar's action in the Vulloor Zemindary case, it will be recollected, was questioned at the time by the regular Presidency Magistrate who tried the case. The Government has now issued the following order: "In exercise of the power conferred upon him by section 7 of the Madras City Police Act, 1888, and in supersession of all previous orders on the subject, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the Commissioner of Police, Madras, shall not, in his capacity as a Presidency Magistrate, exercise the power of taking cognisance of offences under section 190 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, except so far as may be necessary to receive 'Occurrence reports' under section 157 and to deal with such reports under section 159, and also to receive and dispose of reports submitted under section 173 and to make orders under sub-section (3) of that section."

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BISMARCK'S DOG.

AN ANIMAL WITH "POINTS."

The latest crop of Bismarck stories includes an exceedingly amusing one about the dead Chancellor's dog Tyras II. It was a nosy animal, and when Anton Mezzinger met it at Kissingen in company of its illustrious master he observed that it was far from beautiful.

"You are quite right," Bismarck replied "I myself have never found the dog either wise or beautiful. At first it was painful to look at him. Yet there are always men who do not deny their origin, and who like to do homage even to their coast the dog. There are ladies, too, cracked enough to desire a few hairs from this animal, and to carry them about in a golden locket as a valuable keepsake and talisman. Ah! if they only knew that the dog was a present from the Emperor. It is true that I had a beautiful dog—the grey hound Rebecca Tyras I., which was given me by the Munich Dog-clearing Society. That Tyras was really an excellent animal, under whose guardship it was safer than under the protection of the whole of the Berlin police. But he was poisoned by a miserable scoundrel, a faithless farm servant, and I was truly grieved. Then my birthday drew near and the Emperor asked the Minister Botticher's advice, and he told him about the poisoning of Tyras. The Emperor forthwith commanded: "See that you get a new Reichshund." And Bottticher, who knew about as much of dogs as certain diplomatists do of Bismarck—went to a dog-training establishment and ordered a new Reichshund. When the animal was introduced to me, my servant, Pinnow, shed tears of emotion, and wanted to give it up the Samaritan association. Its ribs stuck out from its starved body like those of a stranded ship. Its tail was like a disjointed flag. I felt like covering my head with grief, for I involuntarily interpreted it as a bad omen for the New Course. "Hold the thing, or it will tumble over," I called out.

"On the following morning the Emperor came to me and congratulated me on my birthday. As I neither expressed my gratitude for the beautiful present, nor mentioned it in any way, the Emperor observed, 'Apropos, you have said nothing about the dog I sent you for to-day.' "Ah, exactly," I answered, "I had almost forgotten it," and called out to Pinnow: "Bring it in." What a sight! The Emperor in his astonishment could find no words suitable for the expert taste of his diplomatic dog-dealer, Bottcher, and plainly perceived that he could reap no great honour with this Imperial present. He saw that he had been had once again, and cried out: "And thisthing cost me 30l.!" And afterwards, what do you think? The firm who had thus deceived Bottcher actually asked for permission to describe themselves as dog-dealers to Prince Bismarck. I sent them an answer which I warrant they will never sell to an autograph hunter."

THE BRITISH AND FRENCH NAVIES.

The Paris "Paris" has published an article on Mr. Goschen's recent speech in the House of Commons. It says: "In three years England will be able to put in line forty-five first-class ironclads and eight armoured cruisers, or a total of fifty-three vessels, of an aggregate tonnage of seven hundred and fifty-three thousand five hundred tons, all new vessels with formidable armaments. In three years we Frenchmen shall possess the ironclads Baudin, Bouvet, Duperre, Brennus, Carnot, Charlemagne, Charles, Martel, Courbet, Devastation, Formidable, Gaulois, Hoche, Henri IV., Jauregulberry, Magenta, Marceau, Massena, Neptune, Saint Louis, Iena, and two or three others to be put on the stocks this year. To this list should be added the four coastguard vessels of the Indomitable type and our thirteen armoured cruisers. That will make up a total of forty-one vessels with a total tonnage of three hundred and forty-five thousand tons: that is to say inferior by half in tonnage of the British vessels. It must also be remembered that in time of war the English will have at their disposal the innumerable ships composing its merchant navy to furnish auxiliary cruisers, transports, and crews, whereas we Frenchmen are from that point of view terribly inferior. It may be said that in three years the French naval forces will be equal to about two-fifths of the English fleet. Now let us admit, what is pretty well correct, that the united fleets of Russia, Germany, Italy, and Austria would equal the other three-fifths of the English fleet, and the conclusion we wish to draw is evident. In three years, thanks to the measure voted the other day, after Mr. Goschen's speech, England will be in a position to resist, victoriously and alone, all the naval forces of Europe coalesced against her, admitting that such a coalition could ever exist. England has in her hands all the carrying trade; she has laid hands on all the finest colonies in the world, and possesses coaling stations in every corner of the globe. She has now, with her gold and in her firm determination to preserve her naval and commercial superiority, placed herself in a position to preserve both, whatever may happen, and whatever may be attempted against her. That is what a great people, wisely governed, has been able to accomplish in less than thirty years; that is to say, since 1870. We should do well to meditate on that example."

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—AUGUST 31.

Barry, Vety-Lt, Bo, A V D, on medical certificate, from Deesa.
MacLaughlin, Major, Bo, 1st Shropshire L I, off leave
Parker, Capt, Punjab, R A, proceeding to England, from Dera Ismail Khan

SEPTEMBER 1.

Livingston, Major, Bengal, Blackwatch proceeding home, from Sitapur
Woolridge, Lt, Bo, 9th Bo I, on medical certificate, from Ahmednagar

SEPTEMBER 2.

Baltine, Lt, Punjab Cavalry, on medical certificate, from Datia Khel
Wilmot, Major, Ms, 2nd M G, on furlough, from Bangalore

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TELEGRAPHIC LINE REPORT.

SEPTEMBER 2.

STATE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION.

GREAT BRITAIN.—Via Teheran, perfect. Via Turkey, interrupted. Via Suez, perfect.
CONTINENT OF EUROPE.—Via Teheran, perfect. Via Turkey, interrupted. Via Suez, perfect.
AMERICA.—Via Brest, perfect. Via Valentia, perfect. Via Direct Cable, perfect.
AUSTRALIA.—Via Penang, perfect. Via Amoor, perfect.
CHINA.—Via Penang, perfect. Via Amoor, perfect. Via Shanghai, perfect.
AFRICA.—Via Aden, perfect. Via Cadiz, Teneriffe, perfect. Via Lisbon, St. Vincent, perfect.
Private telegrams in "Urdu" language for Greece cannot be accepted.
Telegrams for Nicaragua are subject to censure at San Juan Del Sur and accepted at senders risk.
Cable Bolama Bissao interrupted.
Turkish route interrupted beyond Fao.

FOREIGN TELEGRAPHIC SERVICE.

Latest dates of Foreign Messages received at Bombay from the United Kingdom during the 24 hours ending at 8 p.m. of the 2nd September, 1898.

[Difference in Longitude allowed for.]

Via	Latest Dates. D.	H.	M.	Time occupied in transmission. Hours.	Minutes
Turkey	2	2	p.m.	8	3
Teheran	2	2	25 p.m.	..	26
Suez	2	2	55 p.m.	..	2

Time occupied in the transmission of messages to Bombay during the 24 hours ending 8 p.m. of the 2nd September 1898.

	Maximum Time. H.	M.	Minimum Time. H.	M.
From Calcutta	..	38	..	9
" Karachi	..	19	..	2
" Madras	..	34	..	1

GOLD AND SILVER.

The following are Imports and Exports of Gold and Silver during the official year 1898-99:—

	In the month of June 1898. Gold. Rs.	Silver. Rs.	Total. Rs.
Imports	73,61,668	87,57,470	1,61,19,138
Exports	20,50,097	61,94,411	82,57,508
Net Imports	53,05,831	25,59,059	78,61,897
	To the end of the month of June 1898. Progressive.		
Imports	1,51,54,120	3,55,55,319	5,07,09,438
Exports	60,47,307	1,86,23,447	2,49,70,754
Net Imports	1,91,06,822	1,69,31,872	3,57,38,694

Silver received and coined in the Mints during the official year 1898-99.

	Coins and Bullion received (assay value). Calcutta. Rs.	Bombay. Rs.	Total. Rs.
In the month of June 1898	6,12,177	59,38,977*	65,51,154
To the end of the month of June 1898, (Progressive)	15,59,770	2,70,14,941	2,85,74,711
	Coined and examined.		
In the month of June 1898	9,911	61,63,926	61,73,837
To the end of the month of June 1898, (Progressive)	8,33,834	2,55,45,659	2,63,81,493

* Of which Rs. 54,45,382 represent bullion received for the coinage of British Dollars and Rs. 1,04,066 and 3,42,680 respectively the bullion values of Chilkis and Khans received from Kashmir.

FROM the 20th to the 26th instant 6 Europeans, 11 Eurasians, 18 Native Christians, 495 Hindus, and 72 Mahomedans died within the Municipal limits of Madras, making a total of 603 persons. The average for the corresponding week of the ten previous years was 476. The deaths are thus classified: 77 from cholera, 2 from small-pox, 18 from measles, 202 from fevers, 92 from dysentery, 16 from diarrhœa, and 196 from other diseases. The death-rate in the week under notice was 69·1 per 1,000 per annum. The mean of the ten previous years was 54·7 per 1,000 per annum.

IT has been decided that the principal post in the Tochi Valley shall be at Miran Shah. Land sufficient for all requirements, including those of the Civil Departments, will be acquired immediately, and the construction of the posts proceeded with. The garrison of Miran Shah will, we hear, consist of one battalion of native infantry, one squadron of native cavalry, and either two or four guns of a native mountain battery. The new post will be a strong work, stored with water, ammunition and supplies, and capable of being held on emergency by a garrison of about four companies.

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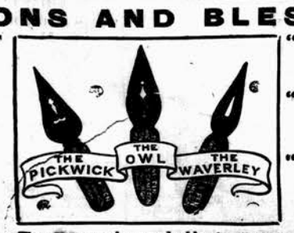

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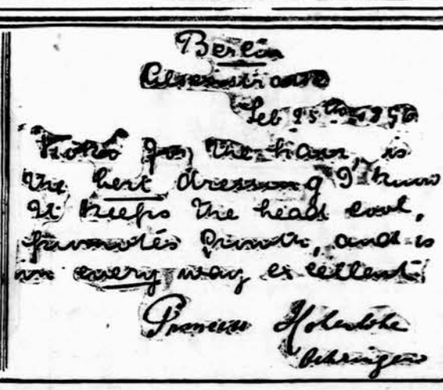

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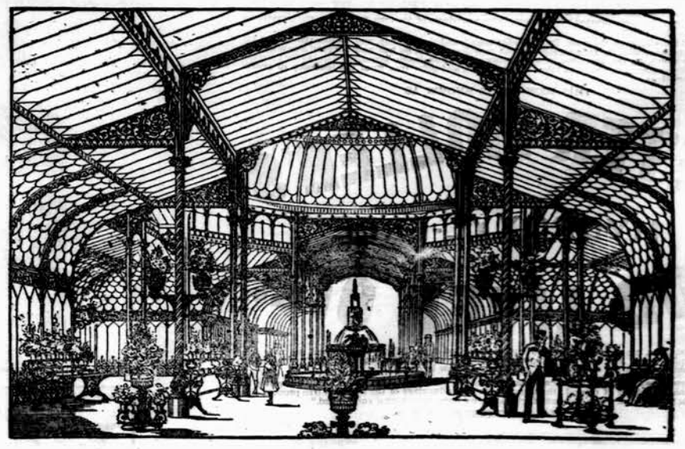

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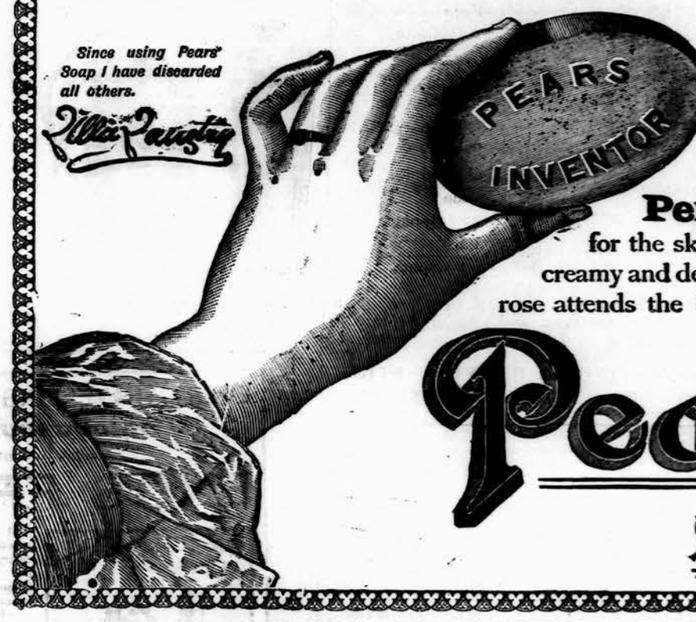

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